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For:	"Diagnosis and Monitoring of Diseases"	

Commissioner for Patents  
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**AMENDMENT**

Sir,

This Amendment is being submitted in response to the Office Action having a mailing date of February 28, 2008. This Amendment was not submitted within the 3-month shortened statutory period for reply. Accordingly, a Petition for a three-month extension of time, to extend the period for response from May 28, 2008 to August 28, 2008, is being submitted herewith, along with the requisite fee. Please debit any underpayment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-1970.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the **Listing of Claims** which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 4 of this paper.